

YEAGER'S.



BIG SHOE SALE

BEGINS MONDAY MORNING MAY 9.

WE have purchased from a well known Shoe Maker about 500 pairs of

LADIES SHOES AND OXFORDS

far below their value and propose to give our customers the ADVANTAGE of this purchase by making a

6 DAY SALE

From MONDAY MORNING UNTIL SATURDAY NIGHT

We will divide them in 3 lots according to value as follows:

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes will be sold at - - \$1.98.
\$2.00 and \$2.25 Shoes will be sold at - - \$1.48.
\$1.50 and \$1.75 Shoes will be sold at - - \$1.24.

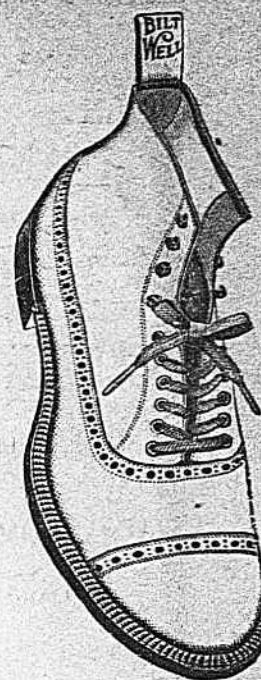
Also a lot of Salesman's Samples will be included in This Sale.



REMEMBER this is not a lot of undesirable Shop-worn trash. They are all NEW GOODS right from the manufacturer in unbroken cases and have NEVER been on Sale in any Store and all solid, good-wearing goods. This is a rare opportunity to get a good pair Shoes for a

LITTLE MONEY.

Our SPRING line of WALK OVER Shoes is now complete and a larger Stock than ever before on all popular widths for both Ladies and Gents. The Sales on this Shoe are daily increasing.



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SPECIAL SALE

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TEN DOLLAR SUITS

For the next ten days, we put on sale a lot of one hundred and fifty suits.

In Serges, plaids and the latest novelties of the Season. Suits that are worth

\$12.00, \$12.50 and \$13.50

They will all go for this Sale at

\$10.00.

Look at DISPLAY IN WINDOW.

UNION CLOTHING HOUSE

2 Doors Below Postoffice, Fairmont, W. Va.

FIRE

STARTED IN ROOM OVER HALL'S FLOWER STORE MIGHT HAVE DONE MUCH DAMAGE.

What might have been a destructive fire started in the room over Hall's flower store Saturday night about 10 o'clock. It is supposed that a draught of wind came in over the transom, causing the lamp to explode. No one was in the room at the time, and, as the front door had been locked, some men on the outside who saw the blaze could not get in until some one opened the door. By that time the fire was blazing up several feet, but it was put out without calling out the fire department. The carpet and a fine rocking chair were ruined.

RESULT IN KANAWHA

DAWSON WON BY A LARGE MAJORITY ON THE FACE OF THE RETURNS IN SATURDAY'S PRIMARIES.

The returns from the primary election in Kanawha county show a majority of from 2,000 to 3,000 for Wm. M. O. Dawson over Chas. F. Teter in the race for gubernatorial honors. There seems to be a good deal of bitterness manifested between the two factions, but in all probability the result will be accepted by the Teter crowd although there is talk of contesting and bringing the matter before the State convention. The Wheeling papers have reports a mile and a half long about the convention, but we think our readers will be interested in the result only.

Monongalia

Also, instructed for Dawson, Teter failing to get a single delegate, according to the latest reports from there. A special to-day says Monongalia Republicans are solid for Dawson, Mason, Cox and tax reform.

Teachers' Examination.

The first examination for this year under the uniform system will be held May 26 and 27. The examination for Marion county will be held at Fairmont, in the Second ward school building, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock.

CARTER L. FAUST,
County Superintendent.

Rev. G. A. Gibbons, of Romney, was in town yesterday.

CAPT. JOHN F. KLEIN,

The Well Known Excursion Man of Pittsburg,

Will place in the Fairmont excursion trade his new excursion barge "Beauty," commencing Saturday, May 14th. This boat will run to East Fairmont Park, commencing May 14th at 2 P. M., and make excursions every two hours to the Park. The round trip will be 25 cents. A band of eight pieces of brass and string music will furnish music for dancing on the boat. Any church, school or lodge of Fairmont or nearby towns can make arrangements for outings to this Park during the Summer. The capacity of the boat is 1,500 people. Dancing floor, 30x150; three decks, with all appliances for safety and convenience. For rates and dates address CAPT. JOHN F. KLEIN, 247 Water street, Pittsburg, Pa.

OUR BOYS LOST

IN THE BASE BALL GAME AT THE FAIR GROUNDS SATURDAY. SCORE STOOD 12 TO 0.

The base ball game between the second team of the University and the Normal Athletic team resulted in bad defeat for our own, the score being 12 to 0. Every one should remember that this is the first game our boys have participated in this year, and while they are all good individual players they sadly lack team work. For the Normals, Pfahler's batting was a feature, and his all around playing was fine, notwithstanding that he was badly handicapped with a very sore hand.

Shorty Heim at third base and behind the bat, was there in his old time form, and that is saying something. He claims to be in better shape this year than ever. Reitz, at short, and C. Watkins at first, put up first-class ball. Wayman and Garby did the batting stunts for the University. Battery for Fairmont, B. Watkins and Pfahler and Heim. For Morgantown, Garby and Wiles. Score by innings:

R. H. Fairmont . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 8
Morgantown 1 2 3 2 1 0 1 0 2—12 15

Elder A. A. Bunner returned to-day from Joetown, this county, where he had been holding religious services over Sunday.

OIL FIELDS

INTEREST IN BIG INJUN SAND INCREASES.

NEW CROP OF WELLS IS COMING IN IN WETZEL COUNTY.

(Parkersburg News.)

Interest in the Big Injun sand developed on Richwood run, Wetzel county, W. Va., is increasing since a new crop of wells is coming in, and will have an important bearing on future operations in that rather erratic district. The South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the Alfred Bason farm through the Big Injun and has given it a light shot and will have a 15-barrel pumper. In the same district Trees & Brast have drilled their test on the C. B. Highland farm into the first pay in the Big Injun sand and the hole has filled up 600 feet with fluid. The indications are for a light well. There will be several more wells due in the sand in this district within the next week. The producing formation has not been very regular. Light wells have been found when just the reverse was expected.

In the Pine Grove extension the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 4 on the A. T. Morris farm 12 feet in into the stratum and the well is producing 12 barrels per day. It is now drilling to the Gordon.

In the same district the South Penn Company's second test on the Wesley Dulaney farm and No. 4 on the Peter Postalwait farm are drilling at 18 feet in the stratum and have developed no oil or gas.

In the Mannington district, Marion county, Neeley & Shaley have given their No. 3 on the Jacob Brumage farm a shot and failed to increase its production materially. It produced 30 barrels the first 24 hours after it was touched up with high explosive fluid.

On the east side of the Folsom district, in Harrison county, the South Penn Company has drilled its test on the Felix Coffman farm 21 feet in to the stratum and has developed no oil or gas. In the same district the same company is still fishing in the Gordon at its No. 7 on the C. E. Robinson farm.

In the Salem district, Harrison county, has tubed its best on the C. Lanahan farm and will put it to pumping. It is not expected to make better than a 15-barrel producer. The location of this test is to the east of developments. The test on the F. F. Ehret farm has drilled through the

stray and developed nothing but a light gas.

The South Penn has drilled its test on the G. C. Gabbard farm through the stray and 15 feet into the Gordon and has encountered nothing but slight gas pressure.

North of the Salem development the South Penn has been agreeably surprised at its test on the J. D. Law farm. When first drilled into the Gordon the well did not show for more than 15 barrels a day, but with an increase in the gas pressure produced 40 barrels the first 24 hours.

In the Folsom district the South Penn company's No. 3, G. E. Robinson and No. 2 Ashcraft are producing 150 and 175 barrels a day respectively. No. 5 on the C. E. Robinson farm and No. 4 on the M. P. Dye farm have been shot. The first produced one hundred barrels and the last 90 barrels the ensuing 24 hours.

Down in Calhoun county, the Yellow Creek Oil Company has drilled its test on the Robert Smith farm into the salt sand and has developed a strong gas pressure. In the same district G. L. Cabbott & Co. have completed and shot their second test on the John A. Wilson farm and have a show for a 40-barrel producer in the Borea grit. The Cresco Oil Company's No. 1 on the Solomon Sillman farm is still holding up at 150 barrels a day.

In the Calcutta district, in Pleasants county, Browne, Proper & Campbell's test on the James Shevlin farm is attracting a good deal of attention. The well is producing 100 barrels a day still from the salt sand and will be the means of stimulating operations in that locality.

Reciprocity is Equality.

Up to date there have been found in Democratic speeches a dozen kinds of different reciprocity, as follows:

Competitive Reciprocity.
Non-Competitive Reciprocity.
Republican Reciprocity.
Democratic Reciprocity.
Free-Trade Reciprocity.
Modern Reciprocity.
Genuine Reciprocity.
McKinley Reciprocity.
Cuban Reciprocity.
Canadian Reciprocity.
Any-old-kind-of Reciprocity.

And yet reciprocity is—reciprocity: nothing more, nothing less. As Senator Gallinger pointed out so clearly in his speech in the Senate recently, reciprocity can have but one interpretation—namely, an equality of exchange. Any exchange of commerce or markets which is unequal is not reciprocity. Very simple after all, isn't it?—American Economist.

To get rid of all my ORIENTAL RUGS

this week I shall offer them at RARE BARGAINS

As such desirable assortments have never been brought to Fairmont before, and as you can not duplicate these values anywhere it will be very profitable for you to buy now.

IT is Your privilege to try every rug in your Residence before you buy.

MARDIROS H. BOZVAN,
WEIEDEBUSCH BLDG., FIRST STREET.

H. H. LANHAM. Real Estate Bought and Sold. General Brokerage Business.

Office—Front room, third floor, new building of People's Bank.

CORRECTLY WRITTEN
POLICIES.

RELIABLE COMPANIES.

HOLBERT, Fire Insurance.

SKINNER BLOCK.

BOTH 'PHONES.

Skinner Building
Second Door
Above Postoffice.

JOLLIFFE'S

Main Street
Fairmont...
West Va.

S U I T S ! WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS!

We have too many suits, hence this big cut in our entire line of new and nobby styles in Tailored Suits \$8.50 Suits now \$6.00; \$10.00 Suits for \$7.00; \$12.50 now \$8.00; \$15.00 Suits for \$10.00; \$20.00 values for \$13.50; \$25.00 Suits now \$16.50. These are Remarkably Low Prices.

LACES.

New lot of Oriental and Val Laces, all prices.

SUMMER VESTS—See those at 10c, 15c and 25c.

SUMMER SHIRT WAISTS—Over 100 styles in Silks and Wash Fabrics to show you from 50c to \$5.00.

WASH SUITS AND SKIRTS—All new and can only be seen here in such Pretty styles.

CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES—We have a new lot to show you, made of lawns, dimities, ginghams and pique, at 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, up

to \$10.00; all sizes.

MILLINERY FOR ALL.

We will not go into the style and shapes of the many we have, but as is well known there is no line in the city so complete in every way as is to be found here. Our styles are the prettiest. The prices far the lowest of all.

LACE CURTAINS AND DOOR PANELS.

Curtains at 89c, to \$10.00 a pair.

Door Panels from 25c to \$20.00.

NEW PATTERNS.

SOUVENIR SATURDAY—To ev-

erybody calling at our store on Satur-

day will receive a souvenir package

of Sachet Powder.

..Worth 10c at any drug store.